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4. [ ] - JMM) Called Bill Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, to ask if he would like to join the meeting that John Clarke, D/PPB, and I are having with Don R. Brazier, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller), and Ed Braswell, Chief of Staff, Senate Armed Services Committee, tomorrow to discuss the handling of the Agency budget. Woodruff said he would be unavailable, but suggested that Ralph Preston, Staff Assistant, House Appropriations Committee, should attend. He indicated that he would probably agree with whatever position Preston took on the matter, but might disagree with what he understood to be Braswell's position.

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5. [ ] - JMM) Called Ralph Preston who said he would be glad to attend tomorrow's meeting with John Clarke, Don Brazier, Ed Braswell and me.

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25X1 5. [ ] GLC) Left with Dorothy Fosdick, on the staff of the Senate Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, an [ ] item which contained a reference to Senator Jackson's address to the North Atlantic Assembly meeting.

25X1 25X1A 6. [ ] JMM) Accompanied the Director, Colonel White, Messrs. [ ], who briefed the Senate Appropriations Defense Subcommittee. See Memo for Record for details.

25X1 7. [ ] JMM) Richard Moose, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, called to say that he and Jim Lowenstein, of the Committee staff, are leaving Sunday for Cambodia and would like a "general situation" briefing tomorrow. He said the purpose of their trip was to make a "general field survey." I told him I would check and see what we could do and be back in touch in the morning.

25X1 8. [ ] JGO) Received a call from Frank Slatinshek, Acting Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who asked that the [ ] briefing for Chairman Rivers be laid on for 9 a.m. tomorrow morning if that time is agreeable to our briefers. After checking with [ ] OSR, I confirmed the time with Mr. Slatinshek.

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25X1 1. [ ] - GLC) [ ], called to say they had received a letter from Representative Philip M. Crane (R., Ill.) asking that he be placed on the mailing list for the [ ] Book. This will be done.

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25X1 2. [ ] - JMM) Received a call from Bill Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, asking whether the Director could appear Thursday afternoon, 19 November, at 2:30 or 3:00 p.m. for a world roundup briefing. Woodruff said it might be possible for the members of the CIA Appropriations Subcommittee to stay on for a few minutes after the other Defense Subcommittee members had left for a brief discussion of the Agency Reserves. I said I would check with the Director and call back.

When I called Woodruff back to confirm the Director's availability, Woodruff said he would like to schedule the meeting for 2:30, that it would probably run "for an hour or an hour and a half" and reiterated that the formal briefing should consist only of a world roundup, but we should be prepared to discuss the Agency Reserve matter afterwards if the opportunity arose.

25X1 3. [ ] - JMM) Received a call from Captain A. J. Valentine, USN, Legislative Assistant to the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, who said he was calling at the suggestion of Admiral Means Johnston, Chief of Legislative Affairs, Navy Department, to ask what the Director planned to cover at his briefing of the Senate Appropriations Defense Subcommittee meeting on Thursday, 19 November. I said it was my understanding that the briefing would consist only of a general world roundup-- Soviet and Chinese weaponry, certain hot spots, etc. Valentine asked if we planned to get into policy matters. I said the Director always avoided being drawn into policy discussions, pointing out they were not his responsibility. (I understand that Admiral Moorer is scheduled to testify before the Defense Subcommittee on Friday, 20 November.)

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1. [ ] (GO) Talked to Frank Slatinshek, Acting Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and told him that the "Black Panther letter to the Viet Cong" that was reported in Jack Anderson's Friday, November 13, 1970, column in the Washington Post was apparently the result of [ ] a radio broadcast of the Viet Cong Liberation news service published on 14 October. The item also was picked up by the New York Daily News under an October 12th Saigon dateline published 14 October. No further action is indicated.

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2. [ ] (JMM) Called Bill Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, to say that we had just been notified that the President had called for a NSC meeting on the morning of Thursday, 19 November, so we would have to reschedule our appearance before our Appropriations Subcommittee. Woodruff said this would create problems and he doubted it would be possible to reschedule our meeting this week. However, he will take the matter up with Senator Russell and let us know the result.

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3. [ ] - RW) Mrs. [ ] who had been referred to us by the office of Representative Louis C. Wyman (R., N.H.), called regarding an interview appointment. She will see Mr. [ ] Personnel, on Wednesday, 18 November, at 11:00 a.m.

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4. [ ] - GLC) Met with Ed Braswell, on the staff of the Senate Armed Services Committee. Braswell passed to me a Form 171 and a biographic summary on Mr. [ ] who is interested in employment with the Agency. Braswell asked if our Personnel people would take a look at this material to see what, if any, interest the Agency might have in [ ]

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